

REMARKS

Applicant has amended claim 1 of parent application 09/994,012 to cover the compounds, compositions and uses in the non-elected subject matter pursuant to the restriction requirement for the parent.

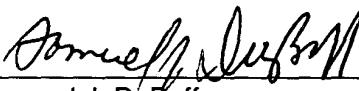
The Cross-Reference to Related Applications section has been inserted to indicate this application is a Divisional application of Application Number 09/994,012 filed November 16, 2001.

Early and favorable action is earnestly requested.

CONCLUSION

If the Examiner has any questions or believes further discussion will aid examination and advance prosecution of the application, a telephone call to the undersigned is invited. If there are any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this amendment, please charge the fees to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 19-3880. If any extensions or fees are not accounted for, such extension is requested and the associated fee should be charged to our deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,



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